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dissenting vote. The splendid success achieved by Messrs Bills & Wortham in signing up an overwhelming majority of the gists American members of a commitrepresentative business houses, warrants the belief that they, and they alone, can succeed in spite of the efforts made to confuse the public and split up and disintegrate the independent movement.

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POLAR EXPLORATION.

Learns Where Prehistoric Jade Several Industries May Pollow the

Work In the Antarctic Zone. I must beg leave to differ with the logical society of Great Britain, who prevailing opinion regarding polar exhas spent 25 years studying the Pacific ploration, that there is no commercoast, claimed he could answer a ques- clai or material reward commensution the other day that no one has been rate with the expenditure of time and able to answer yet-namely, where the money In the antarctic there are sevprehistoric race of the Pacific coast got eral prospective industries, and much its jade stone, which is five degrees of the future work has a direct bearing

There are seals, penguins and whales in abundance around the circumpolar In exploring on Lyton river, British area. Fur seals are nearly extinct. Columbia, he discovered an old Indian | The various varieties of antarctic who, according to a Vancouver (B. C.) seals have a coarse coat of single hair, dispatch to the Chicago Tribune, led which is useless as a fur, but the skin him to acres upon acres of immense and oil are of considerable value. bowlders of jade of rare quality and There is no reason why a profitable showed him by use of sandstone and fishery could not be prosecuted, like friction how the jade could be worn that off the coast of Labrador and away and how by the use of crystals | Greenland. The penguins are not wide abundant in the vicinity the jade could | ly known to commerce, but their countbe sawed into different figures. Profess- less millions will surely attract enteror Dawson, the Canadian government | prise and yield some useful product.

We must abandon the hope that right or black whales, possessing the prized whalebone, exist here in numbers sufficient to warrant a promise of future whaling. Ross reports having seen right whales, but a diligent search since has falled to establish this report. From the Belgica we saw no whales of this variety, but finback and bottle nose whales were seen in great num-Bills & Wortham Have Local Indorsement. bers. These are small whales, having To the citizens of Davenport, Rock no bone of commercial value and a Island and Moline: The attention of somewhat inferior quality of oil. But the undersigned committees has been the bunt for a similar variety of called to the fact that persistent whales in Norway has given profitable misrepresentation is being made as to employment to thousands of men in the indorsement by us of Messrs. Bills | the past ten years. Whaling and sealand Wortham, representing the Union ing in the antarctic cannot, however, Electric Telephone & Telegraph com- be made to pay the enormous expense pany, to the effect that different of fitting out from Europe or North nembers of the committees had since America for so distant a hunting ground

To make these industries successful "The Possibilities of Arctic Explora-

Professors L. V. Pirsson of Yale and J. P. Iddings of the University of Chicago, who were appointed by the seventh international college of geolotee to take steps to establish an international journal of petrology, have made a report that the committee has chosen Professor F. Becke of Vienna president and has made preliminary plans for such a journal, says a New Haven dispatch to the New York Evening Post. The journal will probably print articles in French, German or English, at the option of the author, and will be managed by a committee appointed by the congress. The committee will select an editor and two assistants, all of them to receive sal-

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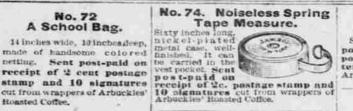
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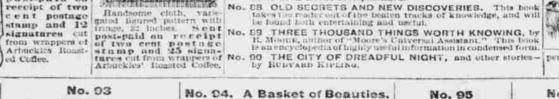
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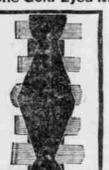
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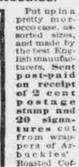
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